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LINDBERGH IS FIRST AWAY

LONE WOLF OF FLYING PACK TAKES AIR FOR PARIS.

OFF, ALONE, AT 7:51

Sandwiches and Chocolate His Only Food for 3,600 Mile Journey.—No Radio to Bring Aid.

Mulgrave, Nova Scotia, May 20.—Captain Charles Lindbergh passed over here at 4 p. m. Atlantic time. He was flying very high. Mulgrave is on the extreme northeastern tip of Nova Scotia on the Strait of Canso.

New York, May 20.—Captain Charles Lindbergh, who comes from the West and flies alone, is well on his way to Paris.

His course has taken him in almost a straight line from New York toward Cape Race, on the southeastern tip of Newfoundland. He should pass that point during early evening, and night will see him flying over the Atlantic.

Roosevelt Field, N. Y., May 20.—Charles E. Lindbergh, alone and without ceremony, sailed off into the gray of this foggy morning, in his silver monoplane, shouting to his friends that tomorrow he would be in Paris.

He left at 7:51 1-2 daylight savings time, which is 5:51 1-2 central time. When next seen, this daring youngster of 25 was flying so low over Long Island Sound that, had he been over land, he would have hardly cleared the treetops.

Last night Lindbergh said he didn't think he would go. But favorable weather reports came to him at 11 p. m., there was a stir in his quarters and he went to bed.

A few hours later he appeared at the flying field, where was gathered perhaps a thousand people, willing to lose a night's sleep to see this lone wolf of the flying pack head away into the east for Paris.

Uses Byrd's Runway.

His plane was wheeled from the hangar and towed to the head of the runway which Commander Byrd had invited Lindbergh to use. The mechanics pronounced the mahcine ready. Lindbergh climbed into the machine, roared his motor and looked out at the crowd, which was standing silent and speaking only in whispers, all eyes intent upon this one audacious youth, who sat there, alone and unaided, ready to challenge the Atlantic.

The heavy plane began slowly to move. Gradually it picked up speed and rolled away.

Lindbergh was doing the audacious thing once more. He was moving east on the runway. If he failed to rise, he would crash into wires, trees and houses. He could as well have gone the other way and had a clear field ahead of him, yet it seems one of the perversities of this man to challenge fate.

As Lindbergh left, he was all nervous intensity and not a sign of the smile which has become so familiar.

Like a Death Chamber

Grover Whalen, Commander Byrd and Anthony Fokker, as well as B. F. Mahoney, president of the Ryan airplane Line, builder of Lindbergh's plane, exchanged final handshakes with the flier.

"I'll see you in Paris," said Byrd.

Chief of Police Skidmore of Garden City, who has become a close friend of the westerner, said "Well, Kid, you're about to go. If you come back, you'll get a good reception here."

"When I get into the cockpit," Linebergh answered slowly, "it's like getting into a death chamber.

"And if I get out in Paris, it will be like a pardon from the governor."

Weather for Last Part Good.

Washington, May 20.—Weather conditions over the route selected by Charles Lindbergh were reported by the United States weather bureau to be less favorable than the so-called steamer lane route, somewhat to the south.

The weather men said Lindbergh was likely to encounter fog and low visibility to the Grand Banks, but that the remainder of the distance across the Atlantic would have almost per-

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The "Lone Wolf" Hops Off

Somewhere over the Mid-Atlantic today, alone, Captain Charles Lindbergh is flying this monoplane, "Spirit of St. Louis," toward the coast of France. With four sandwiches and a bottle of chocolate, he left New York at 5:51½ a. m., this morning, central standard time. If he is to succeed in the New York-to-Paris flight, he must fly his machine continuously for 32 to 40 hours.

MOTION TO BE UP TOMORROW

ASHBROOK'S REQUEST FOR NEW TRIAL TO BE ARGUED.

BANK CASES UP ALSO

Settlement of Several of Them Is Expected.—Barnes Assault Case Over Until October.

The Thomas Ashbrook motion for a new trial is set to be argued tomorrow when there will be an adjourned session of the Nodaway County circuit court. Judge John M. Dawson will preside, having returned last evening from Bethany, where he has been holding court.

Ashbrook was found guilty by a jury in the circuit court here of the murder of Dewey Leonard, at the latter's home in Burlington Junction on March 2, and assessed his punishment at forty years in the state prison.

Attorneys for Ashbrook filed a motion for a new trial setting forth fourteen reasons why a new trial should be allowed.

Settlement of several bank cases is expected to be made tomorrow at the adjourned April term.

The charge of felonious assault against Bertram Barnes of Graham, will go over until the October term, as the defendant has given $1,000 bond.

West Plains Negro Held at Springfield

Fear Mob Violence to Man, 50, Charged With Attack Upon 2 Small White Girls.

Springfield, Mo., May 20.—Charley Allison, 50 years old, Negro, is being held under close guard in jail here today, after he had been brought from West Plains, fearing mob violence. Allison is charged with attempted assault upon two small white girls there.

Preliminary hearing was held secretly in West Plains as news of the affair was not disclosed until today. When the incident was learned, there was talk of violence and the negro was brought here for safekeeping. The children, examined today by a doctor, were reported not injured. Allison did not deny the charges. He said he was drunk and did not recall what happened.

Mrs. B. A. Alkire of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Campbell of Parnard and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Saunders of Long Beach, Cal., returned Wednesday evening from Quincy, Ill., where they motored Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Willie Alkire and family.

COUNT SHOWS MORE PUPILS

1927 SCHOOL ENUMERATION IS FILED.

1297 CHILDREN HERE

Number Is Highest In History of District; Girls Exceed Boys By 33.

Maryville made a gain of eleven school children in the last year, according to the 1927 enumeration for Maryville school district, No. 97, filed with Fred Wright, county clerk, by John Curfman, enumerator.

There are 1,297 children of school age living in the district, his figures show, compared to 1,285 a year ago at this date. Persons are registered who are between the ages of 6 and 20 years.

This is the highest enumeration in the history of the district, the enumeration figures in the county clerk's office showed.

Going back fifteen years, there were 1,204 children in the district of school age. There was a slump to 1,101 in the next ten years, and 1925 saw an increase, when 1,222 were recorded of school age.

The figures filed by Mr. Curfman report that of the 1,297 of school age, 1,275 are white and 22 colored. The girls exceed the boys by thirty-three.

There are 652 white females, 623 white males, 13 colored females and 9 colored males, the enumeration just made reported.

Police Think Hicks' Case Can Be Solved

St. Louis, May 20.—The slaying of Clifford Hicks will be solved, authorities predicted today, following secret sessions with the dead man's former business associates. Information by them and others previously was not revealed. Police said the hope of success lay in secrecy.

Sharkey Outweighs Maloney Ten Pounds

New York, May 20.—Jack Sharkey weighed in at 192 pounds at the office of the boxing commissioners today. Maloney weighed 202½ pounds. Sharkey was expected to weigh about 185. The change in weights also changed betting odds, which before favored Maloney as a 7 to 5 favorite. Odds this afternoon were 6 to 5 on Sharkey.

Dr. R. C. Person is having some repairs made to his office building.

COLLEGE MAY FETE PLEASES

HUGE CROWD WITNESSES OUTDOOR SPECTACLE.

THE QUEEN CROWNED

Miss Merea Williams an Ideal Sovereign.—Winding of Seven Large Poles a Feature.

A number of things contributed to make the May Fete given at the State Teachers College yesterday afternoon one of the best things of its kind ever presented in Maryville. There was just about as much to the fete as ever in the past, but it was crowded into a shorter time, and slightly more than an hour was all that was necessary for the presentation.

The football bleachers had been moved from the athletic field to the space directly in front of the College administration building, and from the manner in which every available bit of seating room was occuped it seemed that about half of the population of Maryville was in attendance. Many were fortunate enough to find sitting room, but many, many others stood around the bleachers and in front of and behind the hedge which lines the walk around the front of the building.

Every number on the program was an enjoyable one. Miss Merea Williams made a beautiful queen in her white gown and long train, and little Mary Henderson combined the required amount of pomp and ceremony with a bit of childish quaintness as she gave a solo dance and then crowned the queen.

If there was an outstanding part of the program, it was the maypole dance, in which women studeats of the College wound seven large poles. The dances this year were new to Maryville people, and the manner in which they were executed was pleasing.

A bit of humor was furnished in a certain part of the program where a large number of youngsters gave a snowflake dance. The snowflakes drifted about in a realistic manner and then piled together into a large drift. Then the drift broke into bits of humanity again, and room was made for the next dance.

One little snowflake closed his eyes as the drift was formed, and when it disappeared he remained stretched out on the ground—eyes closed. It was finally necessary for those in charge to send a little raindrop out to melt him away.

The musical numbers of the program were well received. The College orchestra and women's chorus and a solo by Miss Elizabeth Mills contributed greatly to the success of the afternoon.

The May Fete, as usual, was presented by the women's physical education department at the College. Dr. Ethel J. Saxman was in charge, assisted by Misses Lenore Fox and Lorene Bruckner.

ANDREWS OUT AS DRY CHIEF

Former Lieutenant-Governor Slated As Successor, While Haynes Will Quit Service.

Washington, May 20.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews, in charge of prohibition enforcement, has offered his resignation August 1. Acceptance thereof is expected to be made public by the Treasury department today.

His successor is understood to be Former Lieutenant-Governor Lowden of New York.

At the same time word came that Dr. J. M. Doran was expected to be named prohibition commissioner and that Roy A. Haynes, anti-Saloon League candidate, has retired from the service.

Details of Mellet Murder Plot Told

Officials Refuse to Make Public Statement by Detective Serving Life Sentence.

Canton, Ohio, May 20.—Floyd Steitenberger, former city detective, who was sentenced to life imprisonment for his part in the murder of Donald R. Mellet of the Canton News, today revealed to authorities the entire plot to kill Mellet.

Officials would not make public the details.

CAN'T REMIT BANK TAXES

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES THEY MUST PAY IN FULL.

INCLUDES BIG PENALTY

Opinion, Affecting Two National Banks in This County, Means Revenue of $5,252.

An opinion of North T. Gentry, attorney general, holding that county courts have no authority to make a settlement or compromise with national banks regarding the payment of tax and tax penalties, has been received here by Fred Wright, county clerk. The ruling directly affects two national banks in Nodaway County.

In 1925 the First National Bank of Maryville and the First National Bank of Burlington Junction joined other national banks in the state in withholding payment of part of their state taxes, claiming that the direct assessment of their stock, in addition to taxes on income, constituted double taxation.

L. D. Thompson, state auditor, in forwarding the opinion of Mr. Wright, said that any court order relieving national banks of taxes and penalties is erroneous, and that no county collector can be given credit for any deduction made from national bank taxes on such court orders at the time of annual settlement with the state auditor.

The National Banks are required to pay the back taxes, Mr. Gentry says in his opinion, stating the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, with the approval of the Supreme Court of the United States, has decided against the national banks.

The opinion of the attorney general, declaring the court has no right to exempt the banks from the back taxes with the penalty, means that $5,252 is due the county from the two Nodaway County national banks from the 1925 and 1926 taxes, plus the penalty.

The Maryville First National Bank's tax in 1925 was $1,681.20 and the penalty amounts to $349.77. The 1926 tax was $1,718.43, on which a penalty of $176.40 is due to date.

The National Bank of Burlington Junction had a 1925 tax of $637, on which a $132.70 penalty is due, and a penalty of $52 is now due on its 1926 tax, which was $504.90.

The case upon which Attorney General Gentry gave his decision arose in Boone County, between the national banks of that county and the Boone County court, as to whether or not that court had authority to make a compromise in the matter of taxes on national banks. The national banks there were asking the court to accept the original tax without penalty. Mr. Gentry said:

"You ask an opinion from me as to whether or not the county court has authority to settle this tax with the banks for a sum less than the original tax, plus the penalty.

"The case of the First National Bank of St. Louis, et al., vs. Wm. Buder, assessor, et al., was an injunction suit by the bank and a stockholder, in which it was alleged that the state authorities had no right to assess or levy a tax against a national bank for the year 1924, and that the Missouri statutes on that subject, as applied to national banks, was unconstitutional. That case has been finally decided by the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, with the approval of the Supreme Court of the U. S. and the decision is against the banks. So the matter is ended, as far as that case is concerned and national banks are liable for such tax, and, of course, the law makes them also liable for certain penalties.

"I am of the opinion that the county court has no authority in law to make a settlement or compromise of the tax at the present time. A settlement or compromise might have been affected during the pendency of that suit; but after that suit has been finally decided by the highest court of our land, and decided against the national banks, the county court has no authority to make an order giving up a part of the tax or penalties, and if such an order should be made the same would not justify the county collector in accepting less than the amount of the tax plus the penalty."

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Haggard returned late yesterday from a two-days' trip to Omaha, Nebraska.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Day of Parnell were in Maryville today.

Hughes for Coolidge; Himself "Too Old"

Former Secretary of State Denies Knowledge of Any Movement to Name Him G. O. P. Candidate.

New York, May 20.—Charles Evans Hughes, former Secretary of State, issued a formal statement this afternoon denying knowledge of any movement under way to make him Republican candidate for President in 1928. Hughes said, "I am for President Coolidge, first, last and all the time, and I believe he will be renominated and re-elected. I am too old to run for President, and would not seek nor accept the nomination."

QUIT SEARCH FOR TWO MEN

BETHANY GIVES UP HOPE OF FINDING HIX, BURGIN.

HIX FRAMED A HOAX?

Believe Missing Attorney "Planted" Car and Blood-Stained Hat—In Financial Straights.

Bethany, Mo., May 20.—Officers here have virtually abandoned search for Clifford Hix and Judge Henry J. Burgin, who disappeared from Bethany recently, while the families of the two men today were undecided what course they would take.

Hix, a former student at the State Teachers College at Maryville, an attorney here and formerly prosecuting attorney, left here the night of May 6, and Judge Burgin, an insurance agent and former probate judge, disappeared April 29.

Theories advanced that Burgin committed suicide and Hix was murdered virtually have been dropped.

That both disappeared to avoid financial difficulties is the belief now held here. It is known that Hix became involved through bank failures here, and the belief is widespread that he left for South America to go into the fruit business with a friend.

The finding of a blood stained hat, identified as belonging to Hix, on the highway near here, and the discovery of his Ford coupe with a bullet hole through the body, at first lead to the belief that Hix was slain. But this now is thought to be a hoax, framed by the missing man. R. E. Dobbin and Lewis Johnson, highway workers, identified a picture of Hix as a man they rode with from Gallatin to a point near Chillicothe, where the gas supply gave out. Again a picture of Hix was identified by the Chillicothe ticket agent as having purchased a ticket for Moberly on May 7. When Hix left his home he told his wife he was going to Albany to negotiate a settlement on a $1,100 note he owed, but Hix never appeared at Albany. Members of the family today were not satisfied with the identification by the ticket agent, but have not ndicated what they would do.

Indications that Burgin committed suicide have been discarded with the receipt of information that he was believed to have been seen walking toward Des Moines the day after his disappearance. April 30 Mrs. Roy McCollum of Des Moines, sister of Mrs. Burgin, was driving to Bethany with her husband. North of Leon, Ia., they met a man walking on the highway headed north. He wore khaki clothes and carried a cane and a black bag.

Mrs. McCollum thought she recognized the pedestrain as her brother-in-law and mentioned it to her husband. Not knowing then of Judge Burgin's absence, however, they dismissed the thought. Leon, Ia., is fifty miles north of Bethany on federal highway No. 69.

Mrs. Burgin recalled her husband had a cane which had been presented him years ago. The cane has not been found at the home. No handbag is missing, however.

Since his disappearance it has been learned that Burgin owed more than $6,000, which included a $2,600 mortgage on his home. A family quarrel is said to have resulted over these money matters. At his home a large I. O. O. F. ring, which he constantly wore, had been laid away and his insurance policy, with other papers, had been brought out from their usual places.

First of Bath, Mich., Funerals Held Today

Dansing, Mich., Hay 20.—The first of sorrowful funerals resulting from the dynamiting of the Bath school was held today.

ORDERS 50,000 FROM HOMES

LOUISIANA FLOOD DIRECTOR ISSUES NEW ULTIMATUM.

WORKERS LOSE FIGHT

Break in East Bank of Atchafalaya River Is Declared Certain.—Land Valhe $8,000,000

New Orleans, May 20.—Danger of a break in the east bank levees of the Atchalafaya river today prompted State Flood Director John M. Parker to issue a virtual ultimatum to 50,000 inhabitants of Pointe Coupee Parish, ordering evacuation of their homes at once.

Farm lands in this region are valued at $8,000,000. The fleet of relief boats concentrated along Old river was held in readiness, following engineers' reports that a break seemed certain.

Red Cross headquarters at Baton Rouge prepared to receive refugees, and extensive plans were made for immediate removal of stock.

The fight of the 10,000 levee workers along the Atchafalaya river now seems hopeless. The danger point was believed at Woodside, ten miles south of Old River.

39 Boys and Girls Sign Up for Sport

Plan for Supervised Recreation During Summer Is Explained at Central School.

Thirty-nine boys and girls, from 6 to 14 years of age, had registered at the city hall this morning, for the supervised recreation to be conducted here this summer under the direction of a Recreation Commission named by the city administration.

Five of the thirty-nine are girls.

Martin Lewis, Jr., a member of the commission, yesterday explained the supervised play at the Central grade school building, and Miss Maymo Heflin, secretary of the Farm Bureau, has explained the work to members of the 4-H clubs.

Mrs. J. C. Godbey, another member of the commission, said today arrangements are now being made to secure vacant lots for the playgrounds and that the commission is arranging to provide for adult supervisors.

Mrs. Merle C. Smith, city clerk, said this morning that three boys came in yesterday and wanted "the ball bats which would be given if they registered."

Through some source they had been given this information.

The ball bats will come later when baseball teams are organized and play has commenced under supervisors.

To Confer About K. C. Trippers' Tour Here

Pathfinder Committee of Kansas City Chamber of Commerce to Be Here Monday.

A committee of five from the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce will arrive here Monday noon as a pathfinder committee of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon at the Country Club.

They will be here, according to C. E. Harterious, secretary of the Goodfellowship committee, to make arrangements for 120 trippers from Kansas City to stop at Maryville on its tour of five days, which will be the week of June 21.

Miss Catherine Tobin, acting secretary of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce, said today Mr. Harterious had wired her concerning hotel accommodations for 120 and that she talked with him today over long distance, regarding the Pathfinder committee, which will arrive at 12:15 o'clock Monday noon.

Fleetwood's Office Is "All Dolled Up"

The offices of County Agent J. Ross Fleetwood are receiving new dresses of paint this week. The county agent and his secretary, Miss Heflin, are sojourning with the health department.

Weather

Mostly cloudy with showers and thunderstorms probable; warmer in northern and central parts.

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Lindbergh Is First Away

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fect weather.

Mother Stays in Classroom.

Detroit, May 20.—Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, mother of Charles Lindbergh, faced her chemistry class in Cass Technical High School as though nothing had happened today.

"Food? It Makes No Difference," Says Lindbergh

New York, May 20.—In reply to the question of whether the four sandwiches and a thermos bottle of chocolate he was taking along would be sufficient food, Captain Charles Lindbergh said, "If I get there, it is, and if I don't get there, it doesn't make any difference how much food I have."

Lindbergh carries no radio and, should he be forced down at sea, would not be able to call for help.

With the elements of human endurance figuring so prominently, companions called attention to the fact that Lindbergh slept only two hours last night before taking off on a 3,600-mile journey which will require that he remain very much awake for at least thirty-six hours.

French Experts Skeptical.

Paris, May 20.—French aviation experts were skeptical today of Lindbergh's chances to fly alone from New York to Paris. The fliers praised the American's bravery but said it would be almost a miracle if one man flew a plane 32 to 40 hours unaided. Such a trip, they said, was almost beyond human powers. Nevertheless, Frenchmen and Americans prepared to welcome Lindbergh and his monoplane.

Bellanca May Not Fly.

New York, May 20.—Charles Levine, owner of the Bellanca plane, which has also been planning a New York-Paris hop, announced he would not start his plane if the Lindbergh trip is successful.

St. Louis to Turn Over the Town.

St. Louis, May 20.—"The eyes of the world are on Captain Lindbergh today," said Major A. B. Lambert, representative of the National Aeronautic Society here.

"Of course he'll make it, and when he returns home, we'll turn over the town to him."

College Play Is Tomorrow Night

Staging to Be Unusually Effective in Presentation of "Smilin' Through."

"Smilin' Through," romantic comedy in three acts, by Allan Langdon, to be presented at 8 o'clock tomorrow night in the college auditorium by the graduating class of the State Teachers College, promises much of entertainment, according to those persons who have seen the rehearsals.

Students may exchange two minor coupons from the college activity books. Seats are reserved without extra charge, the reservations to be made at Kuchs Brothers' store where tickets also are on sale to the public.

The play itself is a pleasing one, and special care is being taken with the staging in order to make it unusually effective. The scenery, a quaint old garden in front of a beautiful old English house of the Queen Anne period, and the excellent lighting effects that have been worked out give added charm to the appealing story.

"Smilin' Through" begins with a prologue, showing the spirits of Sara Wayne and Mary Clare looking to earth and vainly trying to help their loved ones.

The plot of the story is woven around four characters, John Carteret, (Gordon Boach), whose sweetheart was killed at almost the very hour they were to be married; Dr. Owen Harding, (Orval Adams), a very close friend of Carteret; Kathleen Dungannon, (Dorothy England), Cartedet's niece; and Kenneth Wayne, (Burdette Yeo), a son of the man who killed Carteret's sweetheart.

Kathleen and Kenneth are very much in love with each other, but Carteret, now an old man, feels that he would not be true to his old sweetheart, Moonyeen, if he allowed her niece to marry the son of the man who had killed her. Dr. Harding tries to help the young couple, but succeeds only in breaking the lifelong friendship that has existed between him and Carteret. After Kenneth leaves to go fight in the World War, Carteret relates to Kathleen what had happened fifty years before. The second act is taken up with this episode.

When Kenneth returns from the war, wounded and shell-shocked, he feels that he cannot ask Kathleen to marry him as he is, so he tries to make her stop loving him. Carteret is so impressed in his manliness and courage that he is ashamed of the hate he has held in his heart all these years, and apologizes to his old friend, Dr. Harding, and to Kenneth, and affects a reconciliation between Kenneth and Kathleen. Although Carteret dies on this same night, the audience is left with a satisfied and not bitter feeling, because he is reunited with his old sweetheart, Moonyeen, (Frieda Bennett).

With Hail, Winds and Floods, Already Taking Heavy Toll, Has Destruction of 1927 Only Begun? Forecaster Sees "Summerless" Year

SAVE THIS AND SEE IF IT'S RIGHT

Here are some of the amazing forecasts for 1927 given to NEA Service by Herbert Janvrin Browne of Washington, on which he stakes his professional reputation as a long range weather prophet:

"A severe cold wave will start in the Northwest June 2, sweep across the Corn Belt as far south as the Ohio and the Potomac and reach the Atlantic Seaboard by June 6. It will be accompanied by freezing temperatures and, over a considerable portion of this area, it will be accompanied by snow.

"The period from June 28 to July 2 will see heavy frosts in portions of the same area, while the week from July 7 to July 11 will represent a second very dangerous date. The two periods in conjunction will carry severe frosts and probably killing frosts through the great northern grain areas.

"This will be a serious tornado year and one of the greatest hailstorm years ever known."

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

Washington, May 20.—Some time next fall Mr. Herbert Janvrin expects to be taking an advisable vacation in Tierra del Fuego.

Mr. Browne, the world champion long-distance weather forecaster, learns from history that the people have always turned on prophets of disaster, and he has been saying for the last four years that 1927 was going to be a humdinger of a disastrous year.

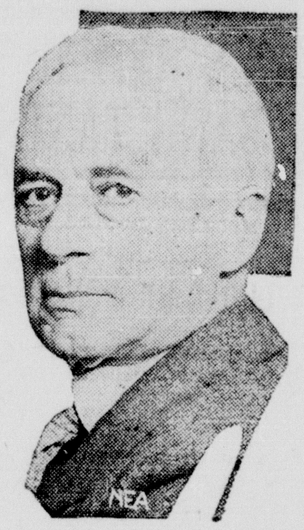
Nineteen twenty-seven and its sun spots have begun to do justice by Mr. Browne. There have been tornadoes, floods and crop-killing cold waves, all predicted by this Washington scientist.

But the worst is yet to come!

No Summer!

For 1927, according to Browne's careful calculations, will be like 1816, historically known as a "year without a summer." Browne admits there will be some hot spells, but insists there will be killing frosts as late as July and then some early frosts, the combinations of which may almost produce a famine.

Said Browne, on April 26, last year: "There are numerous indications which tend to sustain the forecasts which for the past three years have been identified with my work, of a return in 1927 in the Northern Hemisphere, of a 'year without a summer.' There will be floods and droughts, dangerously late killing frosts in spring and even in midsummer and a return of frosts unseasonably early in late summer, to the destruction, or at least to the serious reduction, of the great food crops of the world."



HERBERT J. BROWNE

Browne's prediction seems to be running gruesomely true to forecast. Most importantly, the Mississippi floods, which he had also predicted when appearing before the House Committee on Agriculture Feb. 6, 1923. He then advised the congressmen that the government should store grain and other crops against a famine.

A Costly Frost.

A cold wave from April 16 to 24-25, especially predicted by Browne on March 15, brought a frost which destroyed $20,000,000 worth of fruit and vegetables over the country—an almost historic frost. It reduced the prospective strawberry crop 35,000,000 quarts according to the Department of Agriculture, and the Virginia apple crop from 40 to 50 per cent.

In Browne's January 1 forecast, part of his Long-Range Weather Forecast Service for which hundreds of concerns pay real money, Browne said "violent tornadoes will be one notable feature of the year."

Three major tornadoes already have come, taking hundreds of lives and great damage and the "tornado season" is still far off. The Rock Springs tornado of early April took a death toll of about 60 and some 300 lost their lives in the recent southwestern tornado.

How Browne knows all this is too long a story to be told here. His elaborate system of forecasting is based on the long time variation in the sun's heat and its effect in producing changes in the surface temperatures of the oceans.

Sun Spots Cause It.

"Every maximum sun spot period," he says, "means violent fluctuations of solar heat. Radiation reaches the earth unevenly, increasing tendencies toward earthly disturbances. The ancient Chinese knew that large sun spot years were notable for earthquakes. With millions of tons of atmospheric pressure to the square foot of earth's surface, an alternation of high and low pressure pulls the trigger and sets off quakes.

"This is only an example of my entire theory of causations. Causations are neglected in orthodox meteorological thought."

Browne and the U. S. Weather Bureau have long been at swords' points. The Weather Bureau says it can't predict weather beyond four days at the very most. It admits that sun-spots seem to cause slight weather changes, but takes every opportunity to discredit Browne and all but officially calls him a faker.

Browne replies that the bureau is in the hands of "an autocratic old fogy" armed with ancient instruments, who has propagandized the country against him. He accuses the bureau of pussy footing, of costing the farmers $100,000,000 a year and of altering official weather reports to eliminate acetual occurrences previously predicted by Browne. The Weather Bureau, he says, "has never forecast a severe weather condition more than 36 hours ahead."

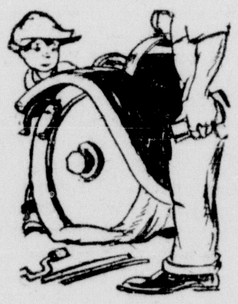
Time Will Tell.

Whether Browne or the Weather Bureau is to be discredited may well depend on the weather's actions and crop conditions for the rest of the year. Browne is perfectly willing to abide by this.

Meanwhile his clients are enthusiastic and he shows letters congratulating him on 85 to 100 per cent accuracy, including one from the Texas Wheat Growers Association terming his forecasts "remarkably right all along." Browne claims to serve 75 per cent of all Washington and Oregon apple growers, many big vegetable and fruit growers, sportsmen, race promoters, conventions committees and a great variety of other interests concerned with future weather.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN



"I'm a lucky kid. I thought my rusty horse shoe was lost but Papa found it in our left front tire."

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William Allen White in Kissing Dispute

Emporia, Kan., May 20.—William Allen White, famous editor of Emporia, attributes the increase in crime to "loose talk of scientists," exemplified in the recent statement of a psychologist that each kiss shortens life three minutes.

White was the recipient of a sharp reprimand from Dr. C. J. Elmore, professor of biology at William Jewell college, for stating in an editorial that if, in his case, each kiss meant shortening of life three minutes, he would have had to die "six months before the Revolutionary War."

Dr. Elmore remarked that White was "as loose in his statements as he accuses scientists of being" and with a great mass of figures proved, to his own satisfaction, that White would have had to kiss "five times every four minutes, including Sundays and holidays, sixteen hours a day."

"This is not at all unreasonable, nor is it improbable that Mr. White has done this, especially since we have his statement to that effect," Dr. Elmore remarked. "I have always suspected scientists and especially psychologists were corrupting youth, provoking people in middle life and saddening old age with their rash and unfounded statements. It is encouraging to know that at least one journalist is capable of calling a halt on them with his conservative and mathematical statements."

To which White replied: "Time spent indulging in osculatory exercises passes quicker than it does in the ordinary humdrum events of the day. If Dr. Elmore knows as little about kissing as he knows about mathematics he has probably never enjoyed a livelier thrill than grandma's kiss when he left home for college and to conquer the big, wide world."

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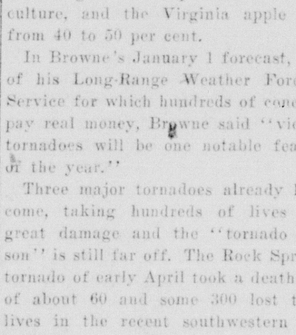

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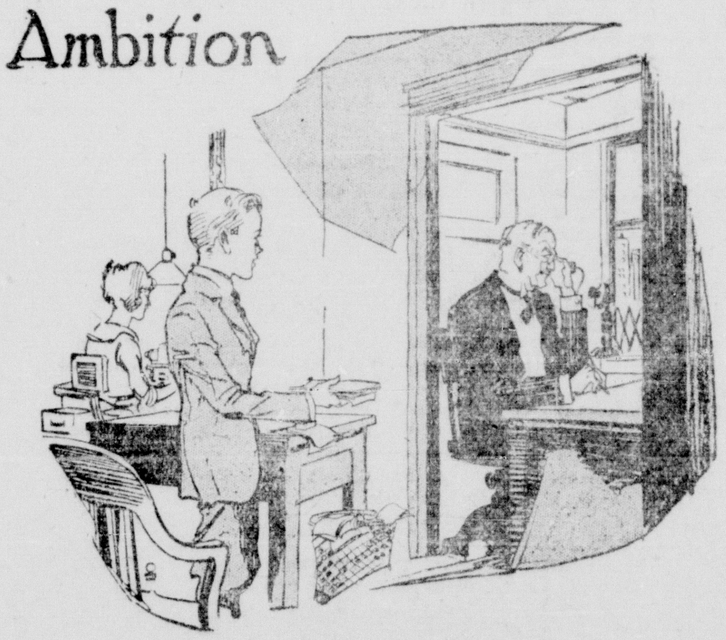

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SOCIETY

C. C. Club.

Members of the C. C. Club of the Swallow district held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Busby. Miss Beulah Mutz and Miss Gladys Busby were elected delegates to the meeting to be conducted at the Farm Bureau office on May 27 by Miss Julia Rocheford of the extension department of the University of Missouri. The afternoon was spent socially and refreshments of ice cream, strawberries, cake, wafers and coffee were served. Misses Gladys and Helen Busby and Mrs. Byron Busby assisting the hostess. Those present were Mrs. Otis Lyle, Mrs. J. D. Mutz, Mrs. Edison Blagg, Mrs. Charles Shamberger, Mrs. James Evans, Mrs. Annie Fox, Miss Minnie Fox, and Miss Chloe Riggle. The guests were Mrs. Rebecca Hill, Mrs. Kent Coulter, Mrs. Byron Busby, Misses Elizabeth Shamberger, Meryle Shamberger, Beulah Mutz and Mary Louise Lyle. Mrs. Charles Epperson will be hostess to the club on June 2.

Social Hour Club.

The Social Hour Club met at the home of Mrs. George Porterfield yesterday afternoon. The meeting opened with singing of "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," followed by scripture reading by the president, Mrs. Will Saunders. In answer to roll call, the members gave sayings from "Ben and the Boss," a comic strip. A can contest was held, answers to the questions commencing with can. In this feature Mrs. Will Saunders and Mrs. Fred Markt tied for honors. Mrs. E. O. Gray and daughter, Beulah Marie, assisted the hostess in serving. Mrs. J. E. Alexander of Pickering was a guest of the club. The members present were Mrs. E. O. Gray and daughter, Beulah, Mrs. Leslie Hanna, Mrs. Edgar Houston, Mrs. Ben Ingels and son, Ralph Armond, Mrs. Sanford Jones, jr., and children, Louise and Howard, Mrs. C. A. Loch, Mrs. Fred Markt and son, Rex, Mrs. W. B. Porter, Mrs. Will Saunders, Mrs. Harry Scott, Mrs. W. A. Spangler and daughter, Lesta, Mrs. R. T. Spurgin, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. Milo Torrey and the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. W. B. Porter June 1.

D. A. R. Meeting.

An interesting program on Mothers' Day was given at the May meeting of the Maryville chapter, D. A. R., yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Jackson. The assisting hostesses were Mrs. J. A. Ford, Mrs. H. L. Raines and Mrs. J. A. Speirs. During the business session the annual election of officers was held. The following officers were re-elected: Regent, Mrs. Joseph Jackson; recording secretary, Mrs. Arthur Noid; corresponding secretary, Miss Esther Roseberry; treasurer, Mrs. D. R. Baker; historian, Mrs. LeGrand Gann; librarian, Mrs. Fred Bellows; and directors, Mrs. W. O. Garrett and Miss Orril Helwig. New officers were eletced as follows: vice-regent, Mrs. C. C. Corwin; registrar, Mrs. J. A. Speirs; and chaplain, Mrs. Henry Wright. Mrs. B. R. Montgomery was elected a delegate to the annual congress of the state society at Marshall next October. Mrs. Joseph Jackson, the regent, and Mrs. C. C. Corwin, vice-regent, will attend by virtue of their offices. Alternates will be Mrs. J. A. Speirs, Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Mrs. Ed G. Orear, Miss Orril Helwig, Miss Bertha Beal, Mrs. C. T. Bell, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, Mrs. J. W. Toel, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, and Miss Mae Corwin. A report of the continental congress o fthe national society in Washington, D. C., last month was given by the delegate, Mrs. Henry Wright.

The program opened with a history of Mothers' Day by Mrs. Eugene Ogden. A paper on "Mothers' Pensions and Aid to Parents" by Mrs. C. C. James of Cameron, was read by Mrs. G. L. Wilfley. Mrs. G.H. Colbert gave an original paper on "The Mother of the Modern Girl" and Mrs. Fred Kurtz told of "Woman's Status as a Wife, Mother and Wage-earner." The concluding number was a group of vocal solos by Miss Mae Corwin, who sang "Mother, My Dear" (Treharne) and "Mother O' Mine" by Tours.

A social hour followed the program and refreshments were served. Mrs. Herschel Colbert of Sweetwater, Texas, was a guest of the chapter.

Grems-Rhoades Party.

Miss Della Grems and Mrs. Edgar E. Rhoades entertained a large number of guests at a bridge party yesterday afternoon at the Elks Club. In the receiving line with the hostesses were Mrs. Frank Reddick of Bethany, the guest of Mrs. Rhoades, and Mrs. Ova C. Goff of Barnard, sister of Miss Grems. Other guests from out of town were Mrs. Frank Ridgeway of Saguache, Colo. ,and Mrs. P. M. Gallagher of Houston, Texas. Nineteen tables were arranged in the ballroom for the games. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Clarence Vogt for high score and to Mrs. Henry A. Foster for second high. The floral decorations and refreshments were carried out in pink and white. The assisting friends included Miss Rose Schumacher, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mrs. Eldon Irvin, Mrs. C. W. Yehle, Dr. Iola Warehime, Miss Grace Langan, Miss Lenore Schumacher and Mrs. C. D. Koch.

W. R. C.

The regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at I. O. O. F. Hall.

Union Homemakers Club.

Mrs. Albert Alexander entertained members of the Union Homemakers Club yesterday afternoon. Piecing quilt blocks was the diversion for the afternoon, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. Al Scipel and children, Gertrude and Earl, Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Mrs. A. J. Walk, Mrs. Ed Jones and children, Helen Lee and Harold, Mrs. Guy D. Aley and the hostess. Mrs. A. J. Walk will entertain the club June 16.

L. A. W. Club.

The L. A. W. Club of the Myrtle Tree neighborhood was entertained at the home of Mrs. Will Bainum yesterday afternoon. At the business session these officers were elected for the ensuing six months: President, Mrs. Willis Parent; vice-president, Mrs. Floyd Chambers; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Forrest Dowden; and reporter, Mrs. Ray Taylor. The rest of the afternoon was spent in working on the club quilt. Mrs. Willis Parent will be hostess to the club on June 2 when the annual dues are to be paid. Favorite June recipes will form the roll call responses.

Officiates at Two Weddings.

Miss Henrietta M. Howery and Clyde E. McMillen, both of King City, were married yesterday morning at the parsonage of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, the Rev. W. S. Woodhull officiating. The parsonage was the scene of a second wedding last evening when the Rev. Mr. Woodhull performed the ceremony uniting Miss Mary McLean of Clifton Hill, Mo., and Vernon O'Dell of Orrick, Mo. The latter couple will reside in Elmo where Mr. O'Dell is telegrapher for the Wabash R. R.

H. K. G. Club.

Mrs. Will Partridge was hostess to the Mozingo Valley H. K. G. Club yesterday afternoon. The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Will Partridge; vice-president, Mrs. Bryan Bosch; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Henry Bosch; and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ira Kelley. The club voted to hold election of officers in the future semi-annually instead of yearly. Mrs. Austin King was taken in as a new member. The hostess served lunch, being assisted by her daughter, Trula Nell, Mrs. Warren Bloomfield and Mrs. Ben Bosch. The Members and visitors present were Mrs. Doyle Moore, Mrs. Lewis Pistole, Mrs. Henry Bosch and daughter, Marjean, Mrs. Ben Bosch, Mrs. Ira Kelley, Mrs. Orville Kelley and daughter, Shirley May, Mrs. Warren Bloomfield, Miss Olevia Bloomfield, Mrs. Amelia Sapp, Mrs. Erma Hackett and daughter, Joan Marie, Mrs. James Jones, Miss Pearl Berry, Mrs. Roy Killam, Mrs. Will Shelman, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Bryan Bosch, Mrs. Austin King, Ilene Kelley, Louise Bloomfield, Joyce Elaine Jones, Wendell Jones and Trula Nell Partridge. Mrs. Austin King will entertain the club on June 2 when the committee on entertainment will be Mrs. Bryan Bosch, Mrs. Henry Bosch and Miss Thelma Bosch.

Rockford Community Club.

The Rockford Community Club held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Homer Worl. The program for the afternoon was on child welfare, and cute sayings of children formed the roll call responses. The topics discussed were: "Keeping my children busy and happy during vacation time," Mrs. Claude Moore; "Teaching children appreciation of beauty and art," Mrs. Lester Reakseeker; "The health of your child," Mrs. Ernest Bainum; "The joy in being a foster parent," Mrs. W. C. Hogan; "In behalf of childhood," Mrs. Ethel Dakan. At the next meeting on June 4 the members and their families will go to Shenandoah, Ia., for the flower show and a picnic. Those attending yesterday's meeting were Mrs. W. C. Hogan, Mrs. J. R. Evans, Mrs. Ethel Dakan, Mrs. Otis McNeal, Miss Grace Williams, Mrs. Lester Reakseeker, Mrs. Ernest Bainum, Mrs. Claude Moore and the hostess.

Oil Well Down More Than 1200 Last Night

Continuous Drilling to Reach "Pay Strata" Has Been Aim For Two Days.

Continuous drilling to reach "the pay strata" where oil is expected to be found, has been the work of George Rose, contractor for the Quitman Gas and Oil Company, on oil well No. 2, for the last two days.

A depth of over 1200 feet was reached last night, Mrs. Joe Carden said. The oil well is located on her husband's farm, northwest of Maryville.

Mr. Rose predicted oil would be found at 1220 feet so it should be known sometime today whether his forecast was correct. The "doodle bug" however, put the depth of oil at 1350 feet.

Ralph Graves Given M. U. Debate Numeral

Ralph Graves of Maryville, a 1926 graduate of the Maryville High School, was one of two freshmen given numeral certificates for debate at the University of Missouri, according to a dispatch from Columbia.

Graves debated for the school here with much success.

Miss Sturm to Lincoln.

Miss Clara Sturm went to Lincoln, Neb., yesterday morning to visit her niece, Mrs. Joseph M. Phipps, a student at the University of Nebraska. She will return home Monday night and will be accompanied by Mrs. Phipps, who will visit relatives here before joining Mr. Phipps in Minneapolis.

Returns From Des Moines.

B. D. Null returned last evening from Des Moines where he attended the annual stockholders meeting of the Grocers Wholesale Co. This organization is owned and operated by 700 merchants, most of whom are located in the state of Iowa.

Mr. Null made the trip in his car and did not seem to think that Iowa has anything on Missouri in the way of roads, especially when it rains.

Charivaries Banned

Coffeyville, Kan., May 20.—Coffeyville is growing too metropolitan to permit the holding of noisy tin-pan charivaries and they will no longer be tolerated by the police department, the Chief of police announced following conference with the mayor and the members of the city commission.

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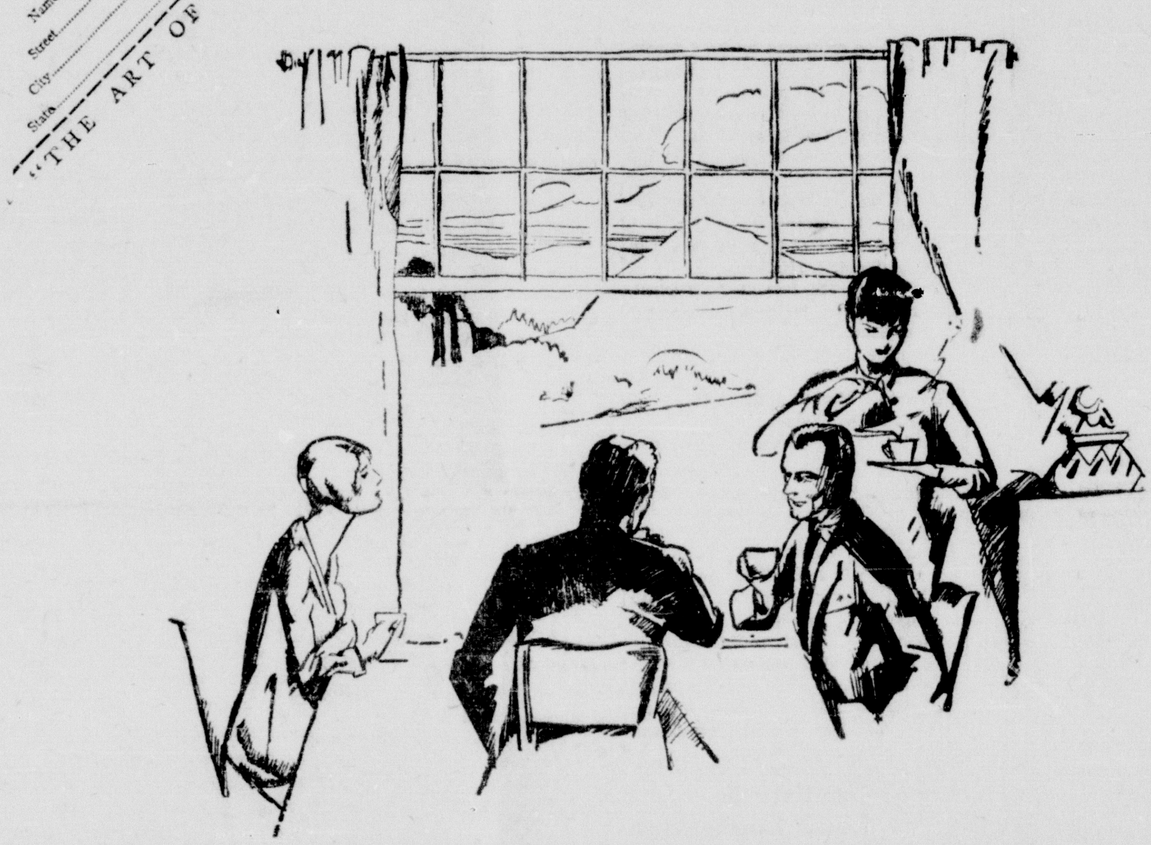

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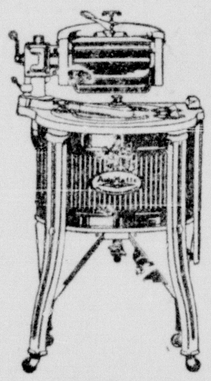

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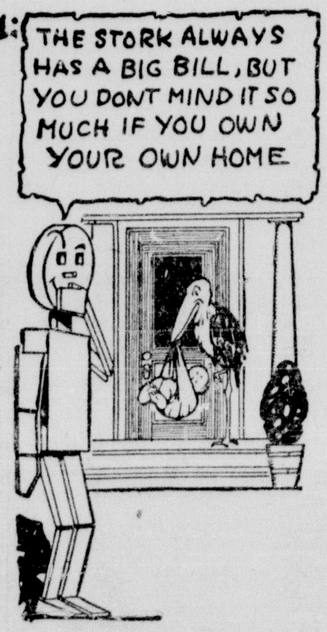

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SERVICES AT S. T. C. SUNDAY

BACCALAUREATE SERMON TO BE GIVEN AT 11 A. M.

WALDRIP THE SPEAKER

College Seniors Will Wear Caps and Gowns At Exercises Opening Busy Commencement Week.

Baccalaureate services will be held at the State Teachers College at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. This will be the second event of the annual commencement week at the local institution. Tomorrow night the senior class of the College will present "Smilin' Through" as the annual class play.

The baccalaureate sermoon will be delivered by the Rev. Marion Nelson Waldrip, pastor of the Central Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of Kansas City. The members of the senior class will wear caps and gowns on Sunday. The college faculty will wear civilians' clothes.

Monday will be a full day for the seniors. Their annual breakfast will be held at 8 o'clock in the morning, and from 4 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon the reception for the seniors and the faculty will be given by President and Mrs. Lamkin at the Lamkin home. The class day exercises will be at 8 o'clock Monday night. At this time the class gifts of a painting and a burr oak tree will be made, and the senior cane will be presented by Fred Street, president of the class, to Kenneth Fouts, junior president.

The commencement exercises will be at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Sam A. Baker, governor of Missouri, will deliver the address.

Following is the program for the baccalaureate services:

Processional—"O God, Beneath Thy Guiding Hand." (Hatton).

Invocation—The Rev. R. A. Mitchell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Scripture Reading.

Gloria.

Chorus—"Mighty Jehovah."

Sermon—Dr. Waldrip.

Chorus—"He, Watching Over Israel," from Elijah.

Benediction.

The College chorus will make its final appearance at the services Sunday. Seated on the stage in the College auditorium, it will lead all of the singing numbers. The congregation will join in singing the hymns.

Although no Maryville churches have been asked to dismiss for the services Sunday, it has been announced that there will be no morning services at the First Presbyterian Church and the M. E. Church, South.

Local Dentists to St. Louis Convention

Dr. H. L. Stinson, Dr. Jesse Miller, Dr. E. C. Braniger, Dr. F. C. Wallis and Miss Hazel Clark will leave Sunday for St. Louis where they will attend the sixty-second annual meeting of the Missouri State Dental association to be in session from May 23 to 26.

This and That

Ruben Young who lives at 601 East 3rd St., is planting several hills of watermelons, and says that he doesn't want anyone to know anything about them until they get ripe. He is planting them on the east side of his house which seems to be a pretty good place to grow melons.

TRY THE NEXT ONE.
U. S. Government.
(Answers on page 7.)

1. Who is Secretary of the Interior?
2. What governmental post do Leland Harrison, J. Butler Wright, Wilbur J. Carr and Robert E. Olds have in common?
3. What five states have each but one representative in the House of Representatives?
4. Under what department of the federal government is the weather bureau?
5. Who is the Democratic floor leader in the House?
6. Name the two United States Senators from this state.
7. On what days does the Cabinet regularly meet?
8. Has President Coolidge continued the custom inaugurated by President Harding of inviting the Vice-President to be present at Cabinet meetings?
9. What is the length of the term of a member of the House of Representatives?
10. Is the Speaker of the House a member of the House?

Mrs. Lindbergh's Fledgling

(NEA Service, New York Bureau)
Captain Charles A. Lindbergh, lone New York-to-Paris pilot, and his mother, Mrs. Evangeline L. Lindbergh, posed beside his "Spirit of St. Louis" monoplane at Curtiss Field, Long Island. Mrs. Lindbergh traveled east from Detroit to bid her boy an undemonstrative farewell which consisted of a pat on the shoulder and a "Good-bye and good luck." Then she returned to detroit and resumed her teaching in Cass Technical High School. While her boy winged his way alone today over the Atlantic, she conducted her classes as if nothing had happened.

THE GREAT WAR
TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.
(By United Press).

May 20, 1917.

Former President Roosevelt, following the refusal of the administration to permit the dispatch of volunteers to Europe, formally dismisses the four divisions of volunteers which had been enrolled under his command.

A. A. Felix Car in Fire in Kansas City

Severe Damage Done to Sedan of Conception Junction Man While Attendant Puts In Gasoline.

The new Dodge sedan of A. A. Felix of Conception Junction was damaged by fire Wednesday night in a garage at Kansas City, according to the Kansas City Times.

Six other automobiles were damaged with the Felix car, to the extent of $15,000 on the second floor of the Downtown Garage, 1219 Wyandotte street.

The fire originated in the Felix sedan, into which a negro attendant was putting gasoline. Mr. Felix's car suffered the greatest damage. Mr. Felix is connected with the bank at Conception Junction. He and O. B. Clawson were attending the Knights of Columbus convention at Kansas City.

Linville Trial Is Postponed 5 Days

The trial of W. S. Linville, who pleaded not guilty to a charge of disturbing the peace at Skidmore recently, which was to have been held at 10 o'clock this morning, was postponed until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Mayor Loucks of Skidmore announced today. Mr. Linville acted as a pall bearer at the funeral of Andrew Howden at Skidmore this morning.

This new fad for snakeskin purses and shoes gives the daughters of Eve a chance to get back at the descendants of that snake.

AUNT HET

"I hadn't noticed Cousin Henry was failin' till he took dinner with us Sunday an' only et seven biscuits."

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"SEVENTEEN" IS A TRIUMPH

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS HIGH SCHOOL PLAY.

CHARACTERS "GOOD"

Carl LeRoy Fisher and Doris Wallace Stars; Miss Augusta Quell Directs Production.

"Seventeen," the class play of the graduating class of the Maryville High School, given last night in the State Teachers College auditorium, was declared a dramatic triumph by the large crowd which attended.

Youth was given a fair showing in the famous Booth Tarkington novel and the audience was in full sympathy with the story, so realistic was the presentation.

Carl LeRoy Fisher, as William Baxter, and Doris Wallace, as Jane, were the stars of the cast although other parts were equally well portrayed.

Fisher characterized vividly the attitude, nature and will of a seventeen-year-old lad who falls deeply in love and is conscious of looking "spic and span" to win a girl's love. Fisher held the center of interest and showed excellent stage presence, used good dramatic expression and lived his part.

Doris Wallace was excellent in her role as a small, tattle-tale, inquisitive sister who spent all her time spying on her brother's love affairs and disclosing them to the parental force of the household. Miss Wallace had the ability to succeed in this role.

Edwyna Forsyth, the baby-talk-lady, was very good as Miss Pratt, whom William Baxter sought to win in boy love.

The play was excellent. All the characters were at their best. The audience saw them and was satisfied. Wilson Dowden, Leola Miller, Lawrence Wray, Kenneth Greeson, Nellie Marion Smith, Pauline Nichols, Paul Qualls, Nettie Russell, Walter Mutz, Earl Somerville and Ben Thompson all share in the success.

Miss Augusta Quell, the director, last night very creditably worked out the success and she deserves praise.

H. A. Lemon Made Executor.

Harvey Allen Lemon of Maryville today was appointed executor of the estate of his mother, who died here May 5, by Judge Jesse P. Robertson of the probate court.

What Jerry Says

In the Wisconsin State Octopus,
I read a squib that ran thus—
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What Nodaway County Churches Are Doing

WHERE SICK SOULS ARE HEALED

Comment on the Uniform International Sunday School Lesson for May 22, 1927.
Read Acts 3 and 4.

Wm. Southern, Jr.

Hyde Park in London is an open forum. Every evening when the weather permits the crowds gather at Hyde Park. Presently they break up into groups and each group surrouds an orator. Every topic under the sun is discussed from soap box stands. The Bobbies move quietly about in the crowd, but the speakers are not molested. They may demand that the British flag be torn from the standards, they may abuse the king or they may say what they please about the Prince of Wales without interference by officials.

We are not so tolerant in this country. The British have learned that isms and political or religious movements can not be arbitrarily wiped out by force and that the best way to prevent an explosion is to let opinion be free.

The Jews in Christ's time were not as wise as the British are now. They were very much put out when Jesus called them hypocrites and when he placed his finger unerringly upon their forms and ceremonies, which were not religion at all. They crucified him and then congratulated one another that they had gotten rid of the disturber forever.

It is easily imagined how startled they were when Peter and John, traveling together, began preaching Jesus of Nazareth and Him crucified. Many were the conferences and plans. They did not know what to do about it.

Then one day about 3 o'clock in the afternoon Peter and John started to enter the temple by way of the Beautiful Gate. They were still Jews observing the temple hours of prayer. At the gate sat a begger, a well known man who had occupied this place at this spot for many years. Beggars still find the entrance to a cathedral or a temple a profitable place to ply their trade. I saw them in front of St. Peter's at Rome. The man begged. Peter stopped and looked at him and, to attract his attention, said "Look on us." Peter healed the man. Dr. Luke who wrote the story spoke from the physician's standpoint when describing the scene he said "his ankle bones received strength."

This incident was soon recited in official circles. The Jews did not follow the Hyde Park plan of the British. They had Peter and John arrested and Peter stook before them unafraid. Only a few months before this same Peter had cowered before a questioning maid and denied his Lord. Peter looked the rulers straight in the eyes and said:

"Be it known unto you all, and to all the people of Israel, that in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified, whom God raised from the dead, even in him doth this man stand here before you whole."

I have quoted this sentence at length because it embodies the claim of Christians to this day. I am not discussing the miracles of healing the body. Jesus used these as he would for the children, those were the days of child thinking, and I do not need the miracles in order to bolster my faith.

Our prayers always end "In the name of Jesus Christ, Our Lord." All our ceremonies are reverently in His name. By His name are we saved. In His name are miracles of physical healing done today.

I think that in the operating room of every hospital in this Christian land of ours there should be on the walls a prayer asking that the sick who are brought to that room receive strength, in His name. Christian Science and many other organizations work on this principle, but it is not new. It is found in every Christian church in the world. We pray for our sick and for our loved ones.

I would certainly go to a doctor if I got a broken wrist trying to crank a Ford, have an X-ray made and the most skilful physician in reach to set the bones. Nevertheless I should pray for that physician that he might have skill in his ministrations and make no mistake. I would have my children vaccinated against disease but I would pray for a higher care for them than the physician can give. I believe it is up to us to go as far as we can, to do all that we can, to use the intelligence that God gives us as far as we can. I have little patience with the man who prays for what he wants and then sits down with his hand out waiting for God to fill it.

PETER HEALS THE LAME MAN.
Acts 3: 1-10; 4: 8-10

Acts 3: 1. Now Peter and John were going into the temple at the hour of prayer, being the ninth hour.

2. And a certain man that was lame from his mother's womb was carried, whom they laid daily at the door of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms of them that entered into the temple;

3. who seeing Peter and John about to go into the temple, asked to receive an alms.

4. And Peter, fastening his eyes upon him, with John, said, Look on us.

5. And he gave heed unto them, expecting to receive something from them.

6. But Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but what I have, that give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk.

7. And he took him by the right hand and raised him up; and immediately his feet and his ankle bones received strength.

8. And leaping up he stood, and began to walk; and he entered with them into the temple, walking, and leaping, and praising God.

9. And all the people saw him walking and praising God:

10. and they took knowledge of him, that it was he that sat for alms at the Beautiful Gate of the temple; and they were filled with wonder and amazement at that which had happened unto him.

4:8. Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said unto them, Ye rulers of the people, and elders,

9. if we this day are examined concerning a good deed done to an impotent man, by what means this man is made whole;

10. be it known unto you all, and to all the people of Israel, that in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified, whom God raised from the dead, even in him doth this man stand here before you whole.

Golden Text.—In none other is there salvation: for neither is there any other name under heaven, that is given among men where in we must be saved.—Acts 4: 12.

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The great lesson to me in this story is not the miracle of the cured ankle bones. It is the power of Jesus to heal. Not to heal a weak ankle, but to heal sick souls. When our souls are sick the Johns Hopkins man, is powerless. He does not know how to diagnose the case nor how to prescribe. The man with a sick soul is a pitable object and, oh how many of them there are. We see them all about us. Sometimes we find them at the gate beautiful, sometimes at the business counter, sometimes in the gambling houses, or in the United States Senate.

There are sick souls in China today and the result is war and tragedy and the disturbance of the balance of the world.

I have heard men scoff at the idea that religion had anything to do with our health, that a case of shattered nerves or sleeplessness or an awful strain could be helped by religion. Those of us who have lived a long time know that it has much to do with just such things. "They that wait on the Lord shall renew their strength" is as true as life itself. No one knew this better than did Jesus. He began his ministry with fasting and prayer, all through the three years when his utmost strength was tested every day he went away for prayer.

I wish I could by these written words take some troubled soul out of the counting room to a prayer room. The physician refuses to guarantee a cure. I can guarantee you, Mr. worn out business man, blessed relief. If you do not know the peace, the relief, the great faith which prayer will bring you, you have yet a great and a most valuable secret to learn.

The churches are hospitals for sick souls. The Christian religion is the only cure. Christianity can bring your nerves to quiet, can bring repose to the sleepless pillow, can cause serenity, and tranquility.

Dr. Marion Waldrip to Talk at M. E. South

"Prophet of Optimism" Will Give Evening Sermon in Maryville.

Dr. Marion Nelson Waldrip, who will preach the bacealaureate sermon Sunday morning to the graduating class of the State Teachers College, will occupy the pulpit that night at the M. E. Church, South.

Dr. Waldrip is known, both in and out of his denomination as the "prophet of optimism." The public is cordially invited to hear him. Special music will include a tenor solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," by Vernon Barrett, and an anthem, "Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem," with Paschal Monk as soloist.

There will be no morning service, on account of the baccalaureate service at the College.

At Sunday school at 9:40 a. m. the Rev. R. A. Mitchell will speak to his College Bible Class on the subject, "When Silence Is Golden."

Epworth League will meet as usual at 7 p. m.

"Flower Day" at First M. E. Church

College Class of Sunday School Will Have Charge of Evening Service.

Three things will make the morning service at the First Methodist church very unusual, the Rev. W. S. Woodhull, pastor, declared today.

Sunday will be "flower day" and the church will be crowded with blossoms, "ten thousand" flowers. Everyone who attends will be given a flower. The Wesleyan class, Mrs. C. E. Still will, teacher, is in charge of the decoration and is asking everyone to bring all the flowers she can.

Then the Kings Heralds, forty little folks led by Mrs. Fred Waggoner, will sing for the congregation.

And the Hi-Y Club will be present in a body and two or three of its members will bring two-minute messages.

The pastor's sermon will be in keeping with the occasion on "How They Grow." The choir will render some "better than good" music the minister promises.

Mrs. Eckles' class has undertaken to distribute the flowers after the morning service to various shut-ins.

The college class will have charge of the evening service. Miss Mae E. Hansell, the president of the class will act as chairman. Miss Elizabeth Mills will give a vocal solo; Leland Medsker will talk on "Why College Students Should Attend Sunday School." a flute solo will be given by Mr. Morrison. Prof. Bert Cooper is the teacher of the class.

The pastor will preach the third of a series on sermons on the problems of youth. The topic will be "John Smith, Jr., His Work."

Next Sunday night the [illegible] chapter, Epworth League, William Gaugh, president, will be in charge.

ATHEISTS WAR ON CHAPLAINS

CASE MAY GO TO SUPREME COURT.

"ABUSE OF POWER"

Non-Believers Have No Strong Hope of Sending Preachers Back to Pulpit, It Is Declared.

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer.

Washington, May 20.—If the American Association for the Advancement of Atheism achieves its purpose, which it probably won't, a considerable number of hale and hearty uniformed clergymen will be separated from their jobs as chaplains in the army and navy.

The A. A. A. A. which is the most militant of a half-dozen atheistic societies in the United States, brought a taxpayer-citizen suit to restrain the treasury from paying out money for the employment of chaplains in the army, the navy and the Congress.

The District of Columbia supreme court had first opportunity to sock the atheists and on request of the government, dismissed the case on the ground that the plaintiff hadn't sufficient interest in the money paid out for salaries to the chaplains. The A. A. A. A. then appealed to the district court of appeals. Both sides have filed briefs and the matter may eventually get up to the United States supreme court.

It is to be suspected that the atheists have no strong hope of getting all the chaplains fired and it is probable that their case will never even be tried on its merits, as the matter before the courts now is only one of jurisdiction.

Marx Lewis, counsel for the A. A. A. A., says that the chaplains should be turned back into the pulpits principally because:

1. Their employment is an abuse of the powers of Congress.

2. The constitution expressly forbids it.

The constitution gives Congress no power to hire chaplains, says Marx, and Congress isn't supposed to do anything except what the constitution says it may do.

"The constitution," he points out, "says that no religious test can ever be required as a qualification for any office or public trust unders the federal government.

"But the qualifications for the office of chaplain, taken from the National Defense Act of 1920, are that 'appointment of chaplains shall be made from persons duly accerdited by some religious denomination or organization, and of good standing therein, between the ages of 23 and 45 years.' Under army regulations made in accordance with this provision to standardize the endorsement of chaplains by their religious denominations, a candidate must obtain the official denominational approval before he may be considered for an appointment."

Lewis says the opposition to chaplains has existed since they were first invented and that when the army got along once for a stretch of 17 years without any it was proved that they weren't necessary.

Woodhull to Arkoe.

The pastor of the First Methodist Church, the Rev. W. S. Woodhull, will speak at a Sunday School meeting at Arkoe, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock on the topic, "Keeping Young."

Father Felix Holds Mission in Columbia

The Rev. Father Richard Felix, pastor of St Mary's Catholic Church, is at Columbia, Mo., this week, where he is conducting a mission. He left Friday, began the mission Sunday and will return here next Tuesday.

The Rev. Father Leo, of Conception is here during the absence of Father Felix.

"Every One of You" Musgrave's Subject

Sunday Morning Sermon Based On Phrase Used In Bible 500 Times.

The sermon subject at the First Christian Church next Sunday morning will be "Every One Of You." This phrase, or words meaning the same thing, is found five hundred times in the Bible, the Rev. R. E. Musgrave said. This fact ought to furnish ground sufficient for using it as a text. It should prompt, "every one of you" to be present, he declared. How wonderful it is that God thinks of the individual. 'Even so it is not the will of your Father which is in heaven, that one of these little ones should perish.'"

Several remain to be baptized and this will be observed at the close of the night service. A beautiful Baptismal Certificate is being presented to each new convert.

Presbyterians Will Go to Baccalaureate

Owing to the college baccalaureate service to be held in the college auditorium at 11 o'clock there will be no morning service at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. as usual.

Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m. This service will be purely a social service, a get together meeting, and refreshments will be served. A special program will be arranged. All young people of the church are urged to attend.

Evening worship at 8:00 p. m. The minister will continue the studies in the "Life and Teaching of Jesus," and will preach on "The Inner Circle." Special music by the choir.

The choir will meet for practice on Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Strangers are heartily welcome.

L. M. Eek Will Talk at Memorial Service

L. M. Eek of the College faculty will deliver an address at the Graham Memorial Day services, which will be held Sunday at the Graham Methodist Church under the auspices of the American Legion post of Graham. The services will start at 11 o'clock.

A program will be furnished by the boys class of the Methodist Church Sunday School, taught by Albert Sipes.

Following the services the soldiers' graves will be decorated with flowers.

First Church of Christ Scientist.

Services at First Church of Christ, Scient'st, on South Main street, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock:

Subject of lesson sermon, "Soul and Body."

Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock.

Reading rooms in church building open every Wednesday and Saturday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Sunday School Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to these services and to visit the reading rooms.

Program for Graham Services Announced

The Rev. B. D. McKowen of Graham announces the following program for Sunday.

Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Worship, 11 a. m.

Instrumental duet, Louise McGinniss and Dorothy Lockhart.

Duet, Mrs. Don Groves and Mrs. Fred Kemper.

Worship, 8 p. m.

Violin solo, Wallace Findley.

Duet, Mrs. John Mowry and Mrs. Charles McDaniels.

"A Safe Investment' Is Prather's Subject

"Loyalty to Our Christian Faith," Will Be Pastor's Morning Theme.

Sunday School will be held at 9:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, Sunday morning. Teachers and officers will meet in the college class room immediately after Sunday School is adjourned.

Morning worship at 11 a. m. Choir will render special music. The Rev. Guy L. Prather will speak on "Loyalty to Our Christian Faith."

B. Y. P. U. at 7 o'clock.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock. The pastor will preach on the subject, "A Safe Investment." A baptismal service will close the day of service.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Pickering Charge, May 22, 1927.

Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Preaching 11 a. m. The Rev W. C. Harper, pastor of the M. E. Church at Hopkins, will preach and the pastor will preach for him at the same hour.

No Epworth League and no preaching in the evening.

At the meeting of the Epworth League last Sunday evening it was voted to adjourn the Epworth League Sunday evening meetings for the summer vacation.

Myrtle Tree

Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Preaching Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mozingo Valley

Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Preaching, 2:30 p. m.

Good Hope

Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Notes: The big tent revival meetings under the leadership of Evangelist H. C. Hankins are only about a month off. Mr. Hankins has had wonderful success, especially this last winter and spring. His coming will be no doubt a great blessing to the entire community and surrounding country.

H. A. Doughty, Minister.

Pickering Christian Church.

"How We Got Our Bible" will be the subject of an illustrated lecture at the Pickering Christian Church next Sunday night. This is a subject in which all, from the most ardent Christian to the most skeptical, ought to be interested. There being no other service in town at that hour, there ought to be a full house at this service.

The morning sermon subject will be "The Wages of Sin." Come to Sunday School, and remain for the communion and sermon. 108 in Bible school last Sunday, how many next?

The ladies of the church have been tearing off the old paper, preparatory to having new paper put on the last of the week. Plans also include varnishing the furniture, and getting a new carpet. Screens have been put on the windows so the flys and insects will not have such a chance to disturb the services.

T. M. WALTON, Pastor.

DISTRICT 2 IN ANNUAL MEET

DIVISION OF COUNTY RELIGIOUS COUNCIL AT ARKOE SUNDAY.

FOR SOUTHEAST PART

Churches of Barnard, Guilford, Ravenwood, Conception Junction and Rural Communities Invited.

The Nodaway County Council of Religious Education will hold the annual Sunday school convention for District No. 2 at Arkoe Christian Church Sunday afternoon. District number two is the southeast district of the county and comprises the churches in Barnard, Guilford, Ravenwood and Conception Junction as well as Arkoe and the rural churches in this section.

The program follows:

W. A. Needles, Presiding.

2:00 p. m. Devotional led by Rev. S. M. Bean of Ravenwood M. E. Church, South.

2:15 Young Peoples Program, Miss Ruth Bookman, County Young Peoples Superintendent.

2:25 Duet by Lois Lee Swinford and Marian Jones, Arkoe.

2:30, Children's Division program, Miss Ruth Matter, County Children's Superintendent.

2:40: "The Teacher of Little Children", Mrs. Chas. Gaugh, Maryville.

2:50: The Adult Program, T. H. Leet, County Adult Superintendent.

3:00: Solo, Mrs. R. W. Bridges, Barnard.

3:05: Address, Rev. W. S. Woodhull, pastor First M. E. Church, Maryville.

3:30: Business session. Reports, elections of oficers, etc.

4:00: Adjournment.

Lenin's Widow Fears Beauties of Church

Soviet Russia Is Warned Atheism Will Not Satisfy People Without Some Substitute.

Moscow, May 20.—Peril in the beauty of church services is seen by Nadejda Krupskaya, widow of Nicholai Lenin, the former Bolshevik leader. She warned the Communists that the dramatic religious rites of the old Russian Orthodox Church constitute a grave danger to the atheistic teachings of the Communists because they attract the people to enter the churches.

"Church art is widely disseminated and it is often the only art accessible to the people," she said. "We must find something more interesting than church art and church drama to give to them, then they will stop going to church."

She told about a meeting in a village near Pskoff, when a traveling moving picture performance drew the villagers away from the churches during the sacred Passion Week. But when the moving picture show had gone, she said, the peasants with one accord went back to the churches to take part in the solemn and beautiful ceremonies of sanctifying the "kulichi" special Passion Week cakes.

"The Communist Youth Union," Mme. Krupskaya said, "is going right in encouraging accordion playing competitions and in devising other distractions, to satisfy the people's desire for beauty and art somewhere else than in church.

DRAMATIC EVENTS IN BIBLE HISTORY : : By Harlowe R. Hoyt and Walter Scott

The Healing of the Lame Man

There dwelt in Jerusalem a certain man who had been lame from birth. Each day he was carried to the gate of the temple where he sought alms from the passersby.
One afternoon, Peter and John, the beloved disciple, climbed Mount Moriah to where the temple overlooked Jerusalem.
As the two reached the temple gate, the lame man begged from them. "Silver and gold have I none," Peter returned, "But what I have, that give I thee. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk!" Walking and leaping, the lame man entered the temple praising God.
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DAUGHTERS of MIDAS

by Anne Austin

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THIS HAS HAPPENED

BILLY WELLS, NYDA LOMAN, and WINNIE SHELTON, department store employes, are taken as wards into the home of their millionaire employer, T. Q. CURTIS, for one year, because he wants to help them further ambitions which they have expressed.

Billy, who desires to become a concert violinist, is the only one of the three who is sincerely ambitious, the others having lied to enjoy T. Q.'s generosity. When they learn, by accident, that he intends to adopt one of them as his daughter when the year is up, a battle follows for his affections. Billy is unwillingly drawn into the contest, and this, together with her infatuation for DAL ROMAINE, nephew of MRS. MEADOWS, hired hostess for the girls, causes her to neglect her violin. Through everything she tenderly remembers CLAY CURTIS, son of her benefactor, who has disinherited himself and is boarding with Mrs. Wells in the poor part of the town, working in the Truman factory in the day and writing music at night.

Dal Romaine takes Billy to a country house conducted by a Hindu and there he makes ardent love to her. He begs her to keep their romance a secret until the year is up so as not to interfere with Curtis' agreement. Billy is poignantly jealous when she learns that Winnie is going to meet Romaine. The same day, RALPH TRUMAN takes Billy through his father's automobile factory. She sees Clay before he is aware of her presence, and she is hurt and shocked to see his thin body bent over the hideously noisy machine, to see the face twisted in nervous agony.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"You look so ill, dear, so torn with the noise."

CHAPTER 35

Billy stood on tiptoe and spoke into Ralph Truman's ear. "Leave me alone a bit with Clay, please, Ralph. I have something important to say to him."

She stood behind Clay, when Ralph had obligingly wandered away, wondering how to attract his attention without startling him. Ralph, watching her at a distance, sensed her problem and gave an order that caused the machinery on that side of the building to stop functioning abruptly.

Clay Curtis straightened his bent body and stared about him in slow bewilderment. Then he turned, as if to go to investigate the trouble, and almost knocked Billy off her feet.

Blank amazement was followed by a flash of joy in his black eyes. "Billy!"

"I came to see you," she told him. "You look so ill, dear, so—so torn with the noise." She had never called him "dear" before, and scarcely realized now that she had done so.

"It's driving me crazy," he told her, drawing a deep, shuddering breath. "Noise, noise, clamor, bedlam, eight hours a day. I hear the damned machines in my sleep. Can't hear anything else: I'm losing my music—can't write or play—but—" he brought himself up with a jerk—"how are you, Billy? We don't see much of you any more. Happy?"

"My, how polite we are!" she laughed at him, with a trace of her old impudence. "Don't I look happy?"

"No," he told her bluntly. "You look as if you're burning up inside with fever. And you've lost a lot of weight. Circles under your eyes, too, and your mouth looks tighter—and older."

"Lord, what a wreck I must be!" she challenged him, but there was a break in her determinedly gay voice. "But I didn't come here to talk about me, Clay. I want to talk about you. Let's hurry, before these machines start roaring again. Look about you quick, Clay—" She spread her arm to indicate the men who stood before their machines, contented, waiting placidly for the machinery to start up again. "They don't look like nervous wrecks, as you do. And I've found out the secret. I'm ashamed of you—a musician!—for having worked here so long without having found it out for yourself. When the current goes on again, I want you to listen, dear, and see if you hear what I hear—"

"Infernal noise, trying to tear every nerve out of my body!" Clay answered her with passionate anger. "That's what I hear, have heard every day for weeks—"

"Don't coddle yourself so!" She stamped her foot at him, but her eyes were tender with sympathy. "I hadn't been in here ten minutes before I heard something wonderful, something tremendous—a great symphony of sounds, overtones and undertones of real music, played on a Titan's orchestra—or Vulcan's—"

"A symphony!" His lips twisted angrily over the word. "If you had to work in this madhouse—"

"But these other men hear it, though they don't put it into words," she insisted earnestly, refusing to be angry with him. "They don't look torn and ravaged and miserable, as you do. They are actually impatient for the machinery to start again. It's the only music that really means anything to most of them. And they're part of it. Part of the tremendous 'Song of Toil' that this old Titan's orchestra is playing for you, and you, you poor boob, aren't musician enough to hear it!"

He stared at her resentfully, but comprehension was dawning slowly in his tired, harrassed eyes.

"Look at them!" she commanded him, pointing again to the nearest men who waited for their tasks to began again. "Watch them when they begin work again. Every movement they make is in rhythm—I watched them before I spoke to you!—every movement in rhythm to the music that is being played by the greatest orchestra I ever heard! The song of toil. Your work is killing you because you fight it, are out of step—" She stopped, breathlessly, and before she could speak again, the switch was thrown, the great steel instruments of Vulcan's orchestra began to perform again.

Clay turned back to his task. His job was to feed strips of thin steel into the teeth of a machine which bit out pieces of it, and spat them into an endless running carrier.

She moved so that she could see his face. When she had watched him before, she had flinched in sympatay with his nerves as his hands had flinched at their task—his piano fingers fearing and hating the steel teeth that bit so savagely into the strips of metal which he fed to them. She had known what he was fearing—that those relentless, blind teeth would seize his fingers, snap them off, so that he could never play again.

She saw that he was listening, incredulously at first, then with dawning wonder. His eyes grew soft and wide with an almost childish delight, the muscles of his thin, grease-marked face gradually stopped twitching, his hand lost its fearfulness; almost mechanically, as if he had lost his horror of the thing, he guided the strip of steel into the jaws that opened and closed rhythmically to receive it.

"You're right!" he told her with his lips, though she could not hear the words above the roar of the machinery.

Ralph Truman joined them then, and Billy left Clay to his work, smiling upon him with such lingering tenderness that Truman could not help noticing it. He was less eager, more silent, as he conducted her through the numerous other buildings of the factory.

"Tired now, Billy?" he asked solicitously, after she had looked on in naive wonder at the assembling of an automobile engine in the great assembling plant of the factory.

"Frightfully," she smiled at him. "In such a model factory I'm sure you have afternoon tea. And I'm starved."

"That shall be the next revolutionary innovation in the Truman automobile works," Ralph assured her gaily. "As a reward for the bright idea, you shall have your tea now, if I have to make it myself. This is the cafeteria, where employes are served at actual cost. Oh, Angie!" he raised his voice and shouted as he led Billy into a great pleasant room, comfortable filled with small white-topped tables.

"Yes, Mr. Ralph!" A middle-aged woman hurried from the kitchen, smoothing her starched white apron. "Tea, sir? Would the little lady like cinnamon toast or French toast? And I've just been whipping some cream. Hot chocolate with whipped cream would be nice, sir."

"It would!" Billy laughed. "Cinnamon toast, please. With oodles of cinnamon and sugar. Your secret is out, Ralph." She lowered her voice to a mocking whisper as Truman settled into a chair opposite her. "You keep Angie—doesn't the name suit her to a T?—just to pamper your lady friends whom you proudly conduct through the 'woiks.'"

"I'll fire Angie for giving me away!" He pretended to be angry. "But I'm delighted that you're hungry."

Billy laughed wholeheartedly, and was surprised at the sound. She had not laughed with genuine enjoyment for weeks. It was odd that she and Dal so seldom laughed. With him she was tense, keyed to a terrific emotional pitch, either abysmally tragic or feverishly ecstatic—never just plain happy, in the comfortable, ordinary sense of the word.

When the crisp, hot toast and the steaming chocolate came, Ralph watched her eat, his eyes filled with a tenderness and anxiety that would have startled her out of her precious hunger if she had caught the expression.

"There—that ought to 'flesh me up' quite a bit, as mother says." Billy sighed contendedly, when she had finished her third piece of cinnamon toast and her second cup of chocolate.

"Now I can talk to you." Ralph Truman lit a cigaret and studied the glowing tip of it for a long minute before he went on. "Billy, sweet child, tell me something, and tell me true—are you seriously in love with Dalhart Romaine?"

"Go on—pull it," he told her grimly. "How dare you, sir?' and 'You forget yourself, sir!'"

"Well, you do forget yourself, Ralph Truman. Just because you've fed me when I was starving and showed me the family winegar woiks—" She was striving to be flippant, but her lips trembled.

"I know," he said gently. "But Billy, Billy, don't you realize, child, that your happiness means an awful lot to me—and to others? A good many of your friends have been watching you anxiously and—lovingly, and we're afraid for you, honey, pretty scared."

"Have I—been making such an obvious fool of myself?" she gulped, sinking into a defeated little heap in her chair, all the fight gone out of her.

"You have! I tried to warn you, but you wouldn't listen. You were the infant who could take such blooming good care of itself, you know. Billy, did you know—has he told you—that Dal Romaine tried to marry my sister, Annette?"

"No," she whispered. "I knew that Annette—that she—"

"Exactly! Any dumbbell could see that Annette was nuts about him. You can't exactly blame the rotter for trying to marry the Truman millions, especially when Annette flung herself at him, as she did. Dad simply put his foot down, or rather figuratively speaking, on the seat of the impeccable Romaine trousers, and booted him out of the house with the information that he'd disinherit Annette if she married him. Now—what I can't figure out is, if he needs money, as he evidently does, why he is playing both you and Winnie Shelton—"

But Billy Wells could stand no more. She sprang to her feet, upsetting her chair, and ran zigzaggedly among the tables to the door.

(To Be Continued).

Blinded by her passion for Romaine, Billy does something that turns Clay Curtis' love to disgust. Read the next chapter.

Lee's Summit, May 20.—Approximately 22,500 apple trees were planted in Jackson County during 1926, bringing the total number of such trees in the county to 173,000.

The Baby Peggy of Japan

Miss Shikishima is Japan's highest salaried child actress—she gets $40 a month. Japanese fans call the girl "Baby Peggy" after the American child actress. Her salary is the highest ever paid a youthful screen star in Nippon.

Pickering

(By O. G. NULL).

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Reed and son, Ward, drove to Bolckow Monday for a short visit with relatives. They returned home Thursday but expect to go to Bolckow again for a longer visit. The Reed family will probably spend a large portion of the summer in visiting as they are planning a trip to Chicago and one to Kansas City in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMullen and daughter, Eva LaVerne, and Mr. and Mrs. Clint McMullen of Miami, Fla., left Thursday morning for El Dorado Springs, Mo., where they will visit a sister of Mrs. Roy McMullen.

Mrs. C. G. Swinford, sr., went to Kansas City Thursday in response to a message informing her of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. James Closser.

Mrs. Theron Wray returned Monday from a visit with relatives at Jamesport.

Omer Wray and son, Milton, drove to Hamburg, Ia., Monday and stayed over night at the home of Vern Wray, a brother of the former. They returned home Tuesday.

Lester Swaney, son of W. A. Swaney had the misfortune to break one of the bones in his left arm by falling on it the first of the week. He had the same arm broken about a year ago.

Perry Sapp, who is employed by the Holstein Produce Company at Holstein, Iowa, spent last Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Amelia Sapp, of the Mozingo Valley neighborhood, returning to his work on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fakes spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rickabaugh near Grant City. Mrs. Rickabaugh and Mrs. Fakes are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fakes and daughter, Dorothy Jean, visited last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bishop of Parnell. They were accompanied home that evening by Miss Gretchen Bishop, who is attending the State Teachers College and had been home for the week-end.

The Pickering Farm Club will meet at the school house in Pickering next Thursday evening. W. E. Spargur of Sheridan, county secretary of the M. F. A., will bring his orchestra and furnish a part of the evening's entertainment.

Johnson West of Hopkins was a Pickering visitor last Monday.

This week has been favorable for farm work and as a result a considerable acreage of corn has been planted. A heavy shower about noon on Wednesday stopped field work for the afternoon but was of great benefit to the ground that had been worked a little bit wet earlier in the season. It was especially beneficial to the oats, which is about a month later than usual, and which in many fields was growing slowly on account of the ground being so baked and crusted that it could not grow.

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Graham

Miss Hazel Hunter of Chillicothe was the guest of Miss Wilma Schmidt this week.

Mrs. Vern Mowry, who teaches school in Stanberry visited Mr. and Mrs. John Mowry here Sunday. Her school closes this week. She will join her husband who has a position in Kansas City.

Mrs. Elwood Miller of St. Joseph is visiting her parents and other friends here this week.

Robert Kyle went to St. Joseph with a car load of fat cattle Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Chappell and children moved back to the farm near the river, Tuesday.

Lawrence Bennett went to Maryville, Monday, to have his adenoids removed.

Dr. Lawrence Loffer of Bolckow visited his parents here Wednesday

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Markham, Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bose attended the Andrew Dodds funeral services at Bolckow, Thursday.

Pierce Fleming was in St. Joseph on business, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Black, Teddy and Melvin Berry, and Miss Lucy Black, drove to St. Joseph Tuesday, to attend a borthday dinner at the home of Mrs. Black's mother, Mrs. Berry, at which twenty guests were present. They returned home that evening, except Teddy Berry, who will visit there for a couple of weeks.

While working in his blacksmith shop, J. R. Riggs had the misfortune to catch one of the fingers of his right hand in a fly wheel, and mashed the figners badly, before he could stop the wheel.

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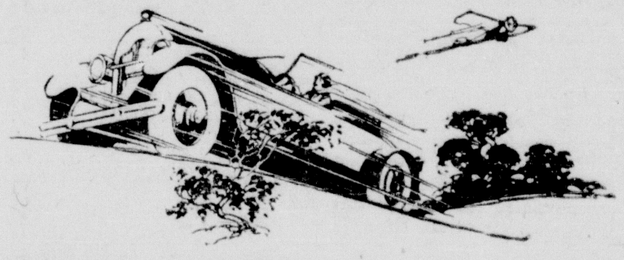

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2—The Petrified Forest, north of Medora on the Peaceful Valley Ranch in North Dakota. Highway 39.

3—Hahatonka Spring, a beautiful spring in the midst of some of the most gorgeous scenery of the Missouri Ozarks. State Highway 5.

4—Ottawa, Kansas, the site of the old trading post of the Ottawa Indians, and the home of Ottawa University, founded by the chief of the Ottawa tribe, John Tecumseh Jones. Ottawa is an Indian name meaning "to trade." State Highway 16.

5—Spillville, Iowa. It was in the quiet little village of Spillville on the banks of the Turkey River that Antonin Dvorak, greatest of Bohemian composers, gained the inspiration to compose "Humoresque." Most of the people of Spillville are Bohemians. Near Calmar. State Highway 20.

6—Horseshoe Mound, resembling a huge horseshoe, offers a wonderful view of the surrounding country. On Route 5, east of Galena, Illinois.

7—Petenall Rock towers over the banks of the Wisconsin River. An object of outstanding natural beauty. On Wisconsin Highways 80 and 21.

8—The Limberlost Cabin, made famous by Gene Stratton Porter's stories, located in a picturesque spot on the banks of Sylvan Lake. Elks Point Road south of Rome City, Indiana.

9—The South Dakota State Game Preserve, consisting of over 61,000 acres between Hermosa and Custer. The preserve is well stocked with buffalo, elk, deer, antelope and other native game. State Highway 36.

10—The Minnesota National Forest, including Cass Lake famed for its Norway Pine forests and sandy beaches, Leech Lake widely known for its pike fishing and Winnibgoshish Lake, one of the best lakes for wild duck hunting in the state. Cass Lake on Highways 19 and 8, and Cut Foot Sioux near Highway 8.

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LOST 10

LOST—Ford tire and rim between Maryville and Quitman.—H. E. Owens, Quitman.

LOST—Chevrolet spare with Chevrolet cover.—V. E. Jones, Maryville, Route 4, Farmers 54-12.

FOUND 11

FOUND—Girl's bronze Missouri State Athletic "M."—Call at this office.

FOUND—Tip Top wrist watch.—Call at this office.

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AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 13

FOR SALE—1926 Ford Roadster, A-1 condition, good tires.—Mercer & Fisher Garage.

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White Orpingtons	6.50	12.00	23.50	57.50	110.00
White Minorcas	7.50	14.00	27.50	67.50	130.00
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PIANO BARGAINS—Someone at Maryville or vicinity can procure a piano like new on easy payments at a big savings. Write for particulars to Mgr. Collection Dept., J. Olney Piano Co., 317 Felix Street, St. Joseph, Mo.

FOR SALE—Household goods for 5-room house. Practically new.—510 North Mulberry.

FOR SALE—Mahogany bookcase and desk combined. Good condition.—Hanamo 661.

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WANTED TO BUY 38

WANTED—To buy, Davenport.—Write "370" care of Democrat-Forum.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

APARTMENTS AND FLATS 39

FOR RENT—Two ideal apartments, West Side, now ready. See me at office.—Chas. Hyslop.

FOR RENT—Furnished Apartment, modern. Hanamo 5579.

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

FOR RENT—40 acres good pasture. Near Sunnybrook.—W. A. Hayworth, Graham, Mo.

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room flat.—115 South Main.

FOR RENT—Small house on North Buchanan.—Call Hanamo 6725.

PROFESSIONAL 8

Notice

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Finish First Survey South From Barnard

Second Now Being Made Over Proposed New Route to Savannah.. —Some Landowners Displeased.

(From the Savannah Reporter.)

Nine engineers under Chief O. R. Bell have been surveying on the Maryville Road since Monday morning for the Missouri State Highway department, locating the route for U. S. Highway 71, recently approved by the state board.

These engineers began May 2 at the paving two miles north of Barnard and reached the county line at the Benton VanHorn farm. The preliminary line was south a few rods west of the present road, following the Maryville Road a short distance of two and a half miles from the Montgomery school house to the W. H. Coffman farm, where the line was made straight south, 140 rods east of the present road to the Rosendale Road at the J. G. Fothergill corner, May 7.

The work of traffic count on Highway 48 and 71 was completed Saturday night. Monday morning they began at the Rosendale Road at the Fothergill corner and made the preliminary line on south a half mile east of the present road. This preliminary line was completed Tuesday and Wednesday. Yesterday the second survey was being made, following practically the same stakes as those set during the past ten days.

At a meeting of the guarantors of the right of way for the Maryville Road route at the Wesley Chapel Community Church Wednesday evening, May 11, it was decided to ask the assistance of all organizations for the road to be built as soon as possible and not to be delayed by unnecessary surveys and route controversies. John A. Merritt is chairman of the guarantors and he was before the St. Joseph Commerce Club Saturday asking their assistance in getting the present paving connected as speedily as possible.

The residents along the Maryville Road and those through whose farms the preliminary stakes were set the first of the week are feeling a little uncertain as to whether they will be pleased with the location of the road where these preliminary stakes are set. Some farms will have a narrow strip on each side of the road, others will have a small strip on the east side with their houses one hundred and forty rods west of the paved road.

By telephone yesterday, N. R. Sack engineer of this division for the State Highway department, said that he could not tell the exact route until the engineers' reports are filed. This surveying party is taking data for the preparation of plans and specifications for contract letting. Even though the engineers are today setting stakes in the center of the Fritchman farm, to the direct question as to the location of the route, Mr. Sack replied, "I am not certain but I think the route will be a half mile east of the present road."

The usual farm is 160 rods wide and this road is 140 rods east of the present road and leaves in many cases less than twenty rods east of the road.

Menus for the Family

By SISTER MARY

BREAKFAST—Stewed figs, cereal, cream, baked French toast, maple sirup, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON — Baked spinach, cheese, muffins, radishes and green onions, rice souffle, milk, tea.

DINNER—Cream of asparagus soup, veal timbales, creamed potatoes, orange-strawberry and banana salad, pineapple bavarian, sponge drops, milk, coffee.

The mother who must serve small children as well as older persons will find that the less menus have to be modified for the younger members of the family the less controversy and need for discipline will occur.

Pineapple Bavarian

One pineapple, 1½ cups sugar, 1½ tablespoons granulated gelatine, ¼ cup cold water, ½ cup boiling water, whites 3 eggs.

Pare pineapple and remove eyes. Cut four thin evenly shaped slices to use to garnish mold. Cook slices in a thin sirup for twenty minutes. Remove from sirup, chill and arrange around the sides of mold. Chop remaining pineapple. There should be about 3 cups. Add boiling water and sugar and bring to the boiling point. Boil gently for twenty minutes. Soften gelatin in cold water for five minutes. Add to hot pineapple and stir away from the fire until dissolved. Let stand until stiff. Turn into mold and let stand three hours or longer to become thoroughly chilled and firm. Serve with whipped cream sweetened and flavored with vanilla.

It begins to look as though we have not dun right by Europe.

Don't trust bubbles to bust your troubles.

YOUR SCORE.

Answers to today's Brain Teasers.

1. Hubert Work.
2. Assistant Secretaries of State.
3. Arizona, Delaware, New Mexico, Nevada and Wyoming.
4. Department of Agriculture.
5. Finis J. Garrett.
6. Reed and Hawes.
7. Tuesdays and Fridays.
8. No.
9. Two years.
10. Yes.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 4,000; Market steady to strong.

Top $9.25; bulk $9.10 to $9.60.

Cattle

Receipts 200; market steady.
Bulk of steers $9.75 to $11.10.
Cows and heifers $4.25 to $10.
Calves $5 to $10.
Stockers and feeders $7.50 to $9.25.

Sheep.

Receipts 1,500; market steady.
Lambs $15.50 to $16.50.
Spring clipped $13.25 to $14.25.
Ewes $6.50 to $7.50.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 9,000; market 10c higher. practical top $9.75.

Cattle

Receipts 1,350; market fed steers, yearlings and butcher stock steady to strong; bulls weak; stockers and feeders steady.

Sheep

Receipts 6,500; market for lambs steady to 25c higher.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 15,000; market strong to 10c higher; top, $10.10.

Cattle.

Receipts 4,000; market steady; vealers 25c higher; run small, medium to good grades predominating in steers.

Sheep.

Receipts 14,000; market slow; lambs steady.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 12,000; market strong to 10c higher; top $10.15.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,150; a few good choice vealers at $11.50, otherwise not much cattle on sale to make a market.

Sheep.

Receipts 750; market steady.

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Hogs.

Receipts 3,500; market steady to 10c higher.

Bulk, $9.20 to $9.55.
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Butchers, $9.40 to $9.70.
Lights, $9.50 to $9.75.
Pigs, $9.75 to $10.50.

Cattle

Receipts 1,200; market firm.
Prime fed steers, $12 to $13.
Dressed beef steers, $8.75 to $12.
Western steers, $8.55 to $12.75.
Southern steers, $6.50 to $11.25.
Stockers and feeders, $7.25 to $10.25.
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Heifers, $6.25 to $10.50.
Bulls, $5.75 to $7.25.
Calves, $6.50 to $11.

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Receipts 500; market steady.
Spring lambs, $15.25 to $16.60.
Yearlings, $12.50 to $13.
Ewes, $6.50 to $7.50.
Wethers, $7.50 to $9.25.
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Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—Receipts 143 cars; market for hard, unchanged to 1c higher; market for red, unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.37½ to $1.47; No. 3 hard, $1.36 to $1.45½; No. 2 red, $1.35 to $1.38½; No. 3 red, $1.33 to $1.35.

CORN—Receipts 21 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 89c to 91½c; No. 3 mixed, 88c to 90½c; No. 2 yellow, 92½c to 94½c; No. 3 yellow, 90½c to 93½c; No. 2 white, 89c to 91½c.

OATS—Receipts 3 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 white, 51c to 55c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.04 to $1.06.

BARLEY—No. 3, 83c to 88c.

HAY—Prairie, No. 1, $13.50 to $14.50; timothy, No. 1, $15 to $15.50; alfalfa, choice, $21 to $23.

Eggs, 20c; selected, 25c; butter, 45c; packing, 25c; hens, 20c; turkeys and young toms, 22c; broilers, 25c; ducks, 23c; geese, 10c.

Chicago Grain Table.

Wheat—Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
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Closing Grain Review.

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LOCAL MARKETS.

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Eggs, per dozen	16c
Cream, per lb.	38c
Springs, Leghorn, per lb.	22c
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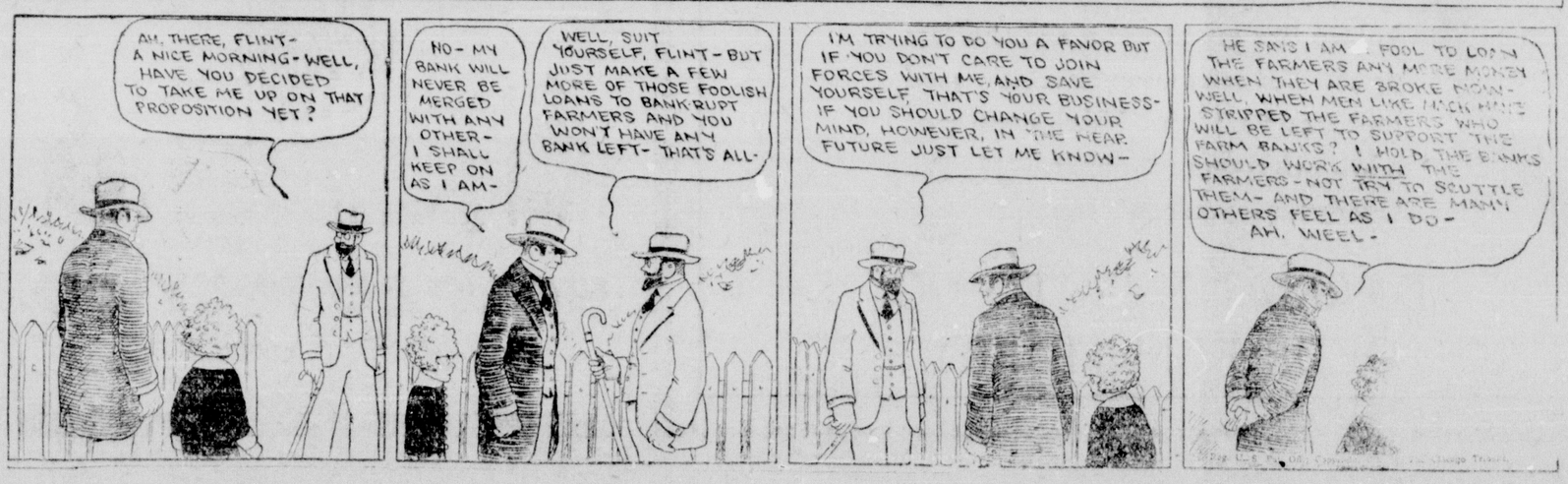
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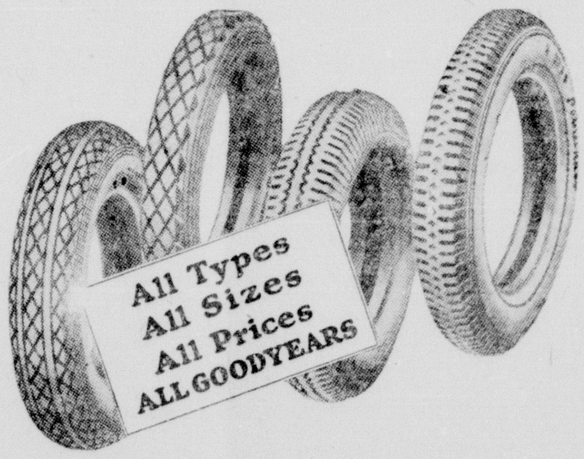

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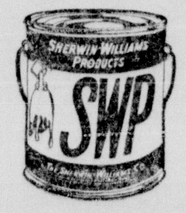

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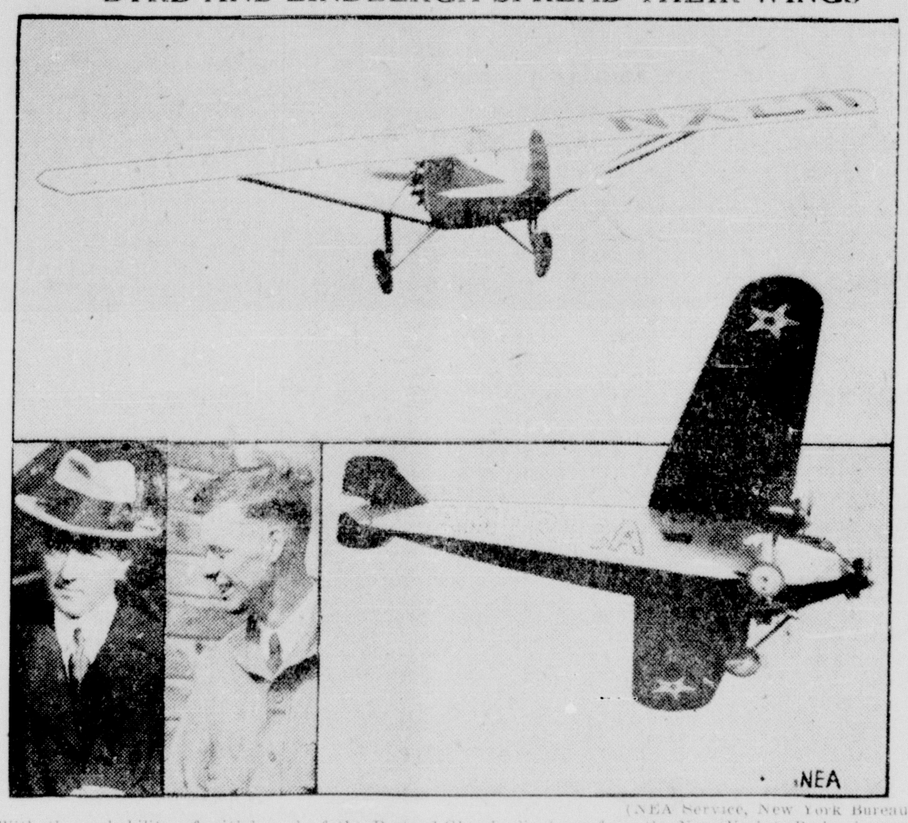

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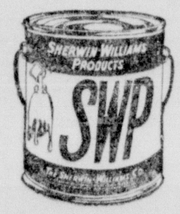

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